

SNATCHED A CHILD FROM DEERE CAR

John May of East St. Louis, Rescues Boy From What Seems Impending Death.

BOTH BORNE UPON FENDER.

Each Escapes Without Injury, and Crowd Applauds When They Are Helped From Street.

From a crowd of several hundred John May, an East St. Louis saloonkeeper, jumped in front of a moving street car at Broadway and Main street, East St. Louis, and saved Claude Butler, 3 years old, from being run down to death beneath the wheels of the car.

Both were picked up by the fender and carried several yards. May was scratched and bruised, but the child was unharmed and did not even cry.

Claude is the 3-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Butler of No. 45 Piquette avenue, East St. Louis. He had been taken out for an airing yesterday afternoon by his mother. He was sitting in the front seat of the car when it was struck by the fender of the street car. The child was thrown out, and the fender of the street car struck him on the head. The child was picked up by the fender of the street car and carried several yards. May was scratched and bruised, but the child was unharmed and did not even cry.

GOES ON LAUNCH TO CLAIM BODY OF DEAD BROTHER.

Victim of Drowning When Boat Capsized Near Hickory's Landing.

Alone on board a gasoline launch, Joseph Meyer departed last night for Hickory's Landing to claim the body of his brother, Frank, who was drowned by the capsizing of a boat near the foot of Stein street, a week ago yesterday.

The body was found by George Cunningham, a week ago yesterday.

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PRESIDENT IS VERY BUSY WORKING ON HIS MESSAGE.

President Roosevelt will complete his summer tour at Sagamore Hill and return to Washington next week, according to reports from the White House.

The President is devoting considerable time each day to work on his message to Congress. For some time he has been assembling data for the message, but since the opening of the session, he has been writing the message in final form. The message will be completed within some time early in November, because each member of the cabinet will have to supply material for the message. The message will be completed within some time early in November, because each member of the cabinet will have to supply material for the message.

MOVEMENTS OF DEER TROOPS.

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NEW YORK MANUFACTURERS CHARGED WITH CONSPIRACY TO VIOLATE LABOR LAWS

Through Medium of Employers' Association, Eleven Heads of Large Concerns Said to Have Broken United States Contract Labor Statutes—In One Case They Are Said to Have Imported Workmen to Make Success of Lock-Out, and Then Dismissed Them When Trouble Ended, Leaving Laborers Stranded to Get Back Home as Best They Could.

GOVERNMENT HOLDS FOUR FOREIGNERS TO GIVE TESTIMONY.

New York, Sept. 24.—After eight months of careful preparation, the United States District Attorney will cause the arrest of eleven heads of manufacturing and contracting concerns of this city on warrants charging them with having conspired through the medium of an employers' association, to violate the contract-labor law by importation of foreign workmen.

The penalty of conviction is a fine of not less than \$100 nor more than \$500, or imprisonment for not more than two years.

It is understood that the Department of Commerce and Labor is directing the prosecution, and through its own agents, assisted by operators of the Secret Service, has prepared the case against the accused. This has involved many months of investigation, and also the keeping of the eleven heads of concerns in New York, at Ellis Island, for the purpose of gathering evidence against them. It is upon the evidence of these four men, backed by the testimony of the eleven heads of concerns, that the government chiefly relies.

CATHOLIC MILITARY BODIES WILL UNITE

Preliminary Organization Formed in Chicago—The Object Is to Strengthen Weaker Organizations—Nearly Fifty in All.

Chicago, Ill., Sept. 24.—At a conference of officers of the Catholic Knights of America and the Knights of St. John from Illinois and adjacent States, held today, the preliminary steps were taken toward the organization of a new Catholic military organization of the United States into a single strong national body.

The confederated society will be known as the Catholic Military Federation, and will be organized on the basis of the Catholic Knights of America and the Knights of St. John.

EDWARD DEVOY RECEIVES A COMMEMORATIVE MEDAL.

Directors of World's Fair to Award Diplomas to Several of Those Connected With the Irish Exhibit.

The Directors of the Louisiana Purchase Company have conferred upon Mr. Edward Devoy, a commemorative medal in recognition of his active and efficient cooperation in the International Exposition.

The medal was presented to Mr. Devoy by the Directors of the Louisiana Purchase Company, who are also the Directors of the Irish Exhibit.

NEGRO MAKES HIS ESCAPE.

Pleasant Lee Breaks Away From Prisoners in Jail Yard.

Pleasant Lee, a negro, made a successful escape from the jail yard of the county jail in Edwardsville, Mo., yesterday.

Lee was arrested at the front door of the county jail in Edwardsville, Mo., yesterday.

DIES OF CIVIL WAR WOUNDS.

Col. C. T. Westbrook Succumbs to Injuries in New York.

Kingston, N. Y., Sept. 24.—Colonel Cornelius T. Westbrook, one of the best-known Grand Army veterans in the State, died yesterday of wounds received during the Civil War.

Colonel Westbrook was born in 1832 and was a member of the late Supreme Court Justice Theodore R. Westbrook of Kingston.

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We announce that all our departments are thoroughly furnished with every requisite for Fall and early Winter wear.

In the selection of our merchandise, we never allow any departure from what is absolutely THE BEST FOR ITS COST.

35c for All-Wool 50c Dress Goods.

38-inch all-wool camel-hair Cheviots in red, green, brown and navy; also 38-inch all-wool Fancy Suitings—mixtures, flecks, stripes, etc., in stylish color combinations.

50c Values for 35c Per Yard.

Fine Austrian Table Linens.

The best lot of Austrian Table Linens that we ever received has just arrived.

This pronounced silky appearance peculiar to linens from Austria is perhaps the distinguishing feature of the exhibit.

The patterns, also, in point of artistic elegance are unusual.

Cloths.

2x2 yd. \$2.50 and \$3.00 each	2x2 yd. \$3.00 and \$7.50 each
2x2 1/2 yd. \$4.50 and \$5.50 each	2x2 1/2 yd. \$5.75 and \$6.75 each
Napkins (22 inches) to match	2x2 1/2 yd. \$4.50 and \$5.50 per dozen
2x2 1/2 yd. Cloths, \$4.25	2x2 1/2 yd. Cloths, \$5.50
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Napkins—22-in. \$3.25; 25-in. \$6.50; 27-in. \$10.50.	2x2 1/2 yd. \$12.50, \$16.00 and (per dozen)

Showing of New Dress Garnitures.

Silk Appliques, in combination of colors, also white and black, 65c, \$1.00 to

Spangled Appliques; variety of evening shades, 1 1/2 to 4 inches wide, \$1.25, \$2.00,

Gun-metal and Silver Appliques—an entirely new novelty—from, per yd., \$1.50 to

Feather Neck Sets.

Wreaths and festoons of Chiffon flowers; pendant effects; pink, blue, white, maize; per set,

Chiffon Flowers by the yard; all evening shades; per yard, \$3.00 to

Silk Stocks with jabot ends; lavender, green, blue, pink, brown and mixed colors; an unusually pretty showing; \$1.50 to

Sorosis Shoes

For Women, Misses and Children

Are comfortable. They fit all over and conform to every foot curve.

Sorosis Shoes wear well because they are made of the best obtainable leathers.

We are exclusive agents for St. Louis.

For Women—Sizes 2 1/2 to 8; price,	\$3.50 and \$4
For Misses—Sizes 1 1/2 to 7; price,	\$3.00
For Children—Sizes 1 to 11; price,	\$2.50

Embossed Initials, Autographs and Monograms

On Irish Linen Handkerchiefs

Orders are being received for Irish Linen Handkerchiefs to be embroidered by hand with Initials, Monograms or facsimiles of Autographs.

It is desirable to have orders intended for Christmas gift giving placed before October 25.

WE ARE SHOWING

About 1,800 yards Gauze Tissues and Radium Impregnated Gauze Tissues, mostly in costume lengths, specially adapted for evening and reception gowns, double width, at

\$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50

Flannelette Specials

Flannelette, Persian and Dresden designs, smooth, soft, French flannel finish, perfect washing colors, at, per yard

10c

German Eiderdown, Persian cashmere designs and Japanese designs, fans, lanterns, wheels and scrolls at, per yard

15c

21 Anniversary Sale

SOLID GOLD SPRING RIMLESS EYEGLASSES, WITH FIRST QUALITY LENSES, \$3.00 VALUE, AT

\$1.00

Eyes Examined Free by Dr. Chas. Reilly for many years in charge of the Optical Department of the E. J. Jaccard Jewelry Co.

619 Locust St.

DISCUSSES DIVORCE PROBLEM.

German Evangelical Synod Is Expected to Take Some Action.

Rehoboth, N. Y., Sept. 24.—The quadrennial assembly of the German Evangelical and Reformed Synod of North America, which has been here last week, will continue through today.

The general president's report showed 92 pastors, 1,392 congregations, 22,579 members, and 1,392 congregations, 22,579 members, and 1,392 congregations, 22,579 members.

THREE TRAINMEN ARE BURNED.

Gasoline Casks Exploded When Brakeman Put Lantern in Car.

Fronton, Mo., Sept. 24.—John Ryan, conductor, and Walter Deering and E. J. Madrox, brakemen, on a local freight train crew, were seriously injured by a gasoline explosion in a box car at Fronton, Mo., yesterday.

Two five-gallon casks of gasoline were located in the car at this station, and when Deering opened the car door at Fronton and climbed in with his lantern an explosion immediately followed.

FOSTER IS SERIOUSLY INJURED.

When Trying to Grasp a Small Signboard That Had Fallen from the Elevator Shaft, He Was Struck by a Projecting Iron Post. He Sustained Serious Injuries to the Head and Neck. He Is Expected to Recover.

St. Louis, Sept. 24.—A man who was seriously injured when he was struck by a projecting iron post while trying to grasp a small signboard that had fallen from the elevator shaft of the Adams Express Company at Twenty-first street and Clark avenue, was removed to the City Hospital. His condition is serious.

The Simmons Company

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A Corduroy Hunting Coat for \$2.50

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